

Exercise 6.1: 5.  $f(x) - p(x) = \frac{(x-a)(x-b)}{b-a} \left[ \frac{f(x) - f(b)}{x-b} - \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x-a} \right]$

By mean value theorem  $\exists \xi_1, \xi_2$  with  $\xi_1 \in (x, b)$  &  $\xi_2 \in (a, x)$  such that  
 $f'(\xi_1) = \frac{f(x) - f(b)}{x-b}$ ,  $f'(\xi_2) = \frac{f(x) - f(a)}{x-a}$

$$\therefore |f(x) - p(x)| = \frac{|x-a||x-b|}{|b-a|} |f'(\xi_1) - f'(\xi_2)|$$

Given  $l = b-a$ ,  $|f'(x)| \leq C$  on  $(a, b)$

Maximum of  $|(x-a)(x-b)| = \frac{(b-a)^2}{4} = \frac{l^2}{4}$



$$\therefore |f(x) - p(x)| \leq \frac{l^2}{4} \cdot \frac{1}{l} \cdot 2C = \underline{\underline{\frac{l}{2}C}}$$

9.  $f(x) = \sin(100x)$ . If there are  $n$  knots,  $h = \frac{\pi}{n}$   
 $f'(x) = 100 \cos(100x) \Rightarrow |f'(x)| \leq 100$

$\delta = \max_{0 \leq i \leq n-1} (t_{i+1} - t_i) = h$  [in this case we have equal spacing]

Given ~~1/2~~  $|f(x) - S(x)| \leq C \frac{\delta}{2}$  where  $|f'(x)| \leq C$

$$\Rightarrow 100 \times \frac{\delta}{2} \leq 10^{-8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta \leq 2 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{n} \leq 2 \times 10^{-10}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \geq \frac{\pi}{2} \times 10^{10} = \underline{\underline{1.57 \times 10^{10}}}$$

Exercise 6.2: 1.  $S(x) = \begin{cases} ax^3 + x^2 + cx & -1 \leq x < 0 \\ bx^3 + x^2 + dx & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} S(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} S(x) \Rightarrow 0 = 0$$

$$S(-1) = |-1| \Rightarrow -a + 1 - c = 1 \Rightarrow a + c = 0 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$S(0) = |0| \Rightarrow 0 = 0$$

$$S(1) = |1| \Rightarrow b + 1 + d = 1 \Rightarrow b + d = 0 \quad \text{--- ②}$$

$$S'(x) = \begin{cases} 3ax^2 + 2x + c & -1 \leq x \leq 0 \\ 3bx^2 + 2x + d & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} S'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} S'(x) \Rightarrow c = d \quad \text{--- ③}$$

$$S''(x) = \begin{cases} 6ax + 2 & -1 \leq x \leq 0 \\ 6bx + 2 & 0 \leq x \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$S''(-1) = 0 \Rightarrow -6a + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 1/3 \quad \text{--- ④}$$

$$S''(1) = 0 \Rightarrow 6b + 2 = 0 \Rightarrow b = -1/3 \quad \text{--- ⑤}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{① \& ④} &\Rightarrow c = -1/3 \\ \text{② \& ⑤} &\Rightarrow d = 1/3 \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} c = -d \rightarrow \text{contradicts ③}$$

$\therefore$  There is no such spline function.

$$5. \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} 3 + x - 9x^3 & [0, 1] \\ a + b(x-1) + c(x-1)^2 + d(x-1)^3 & [1, 2] \end{cases}$$

$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - 27x^2 & [0, 1] \\ b + 2c(x-1) + 3d(x-1)^2 & [1, 2] \end{cases}$$

$$f''(x) = \begin{cases} -54x & [0, 1] \\ 2c + 6d(x-1) & [1, 2] \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Continuity of } f \text{ at } x=1 \Rightarrow 3 + 1 - 9 = a \Rightarrow a = -5$$

$$\text{Continuity of } f' \text{ at } x=1 \Rightarrow 1 - 27 = b \Rightarrow b = -26$$

$$\text{Continuity of } f'' \text{ at } x=1 \Rightarrow -54 = 2c \Rightarrow c = -27$$

Now to minimise  $\int_0^2 (f''(x))^2 dx$  we only have to minimise  $\int_1^2 (f''(x))^2 dx$

[ $\because \int_0^1 (f''(x))^2 dx$  is fixed on  $[0, 1]$ ]

$$\therefore \text{Minimise } \int_1^2 (-54 + 6d(x-1))^2 dx := p(d) =$$

$$\text{Need } \frac{dp}{dd} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dd}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(d) &= \int_1^2 (-54 + 6d(x-1))^2 dx, \quad u = x-1 \\ &\quad du = dx \\ &= \int_0^1 (-54 + 6du)^2 du \\ &= \int_0^1 (2916 - 648d \cdot u + 36d^2 u^2) du \\ &= 2916 - 324d + 12d^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dd} = 0 \Rightarrow -324 + 24d = 0 \Rightarrow d = \frac{324}{24} = \frac{27}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{We have } a = -5, b = -26, c = -27, d = 27/2$$

Exercise 8.1 : 8.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_2 \leftarrow R_2 - R_1$$

$$R_3 \leftarrow R_3 + R_1$$

$$R_4 \leftarrow R_4 - R_1$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} \diagup & & & \\ & \diagdown & & \\ & & \diagup & \\ & & & \diagdown \end{bmatrix} \quad L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & & \\ 1 & & & \\ -1 & & & \\ 1 & & & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_3 \leftarrow R_3 - R_2$$

$$R_4 \leftarrow R_4 + R_2$$

$$\Rightarrow L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & & \\ 1 & 1 & & \\ -1 & 1 & & \\ 1 & -1 & & \end{bmatrix}, \quad A'' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_4 \leftarrow R_4 - R_3 \Rightarrow L = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A''' = U = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 4 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -8 \end{bmatrix}$$

4. While doing LU decomposition (or Gaussian elimination) for matrix  $A$ , at  $k^{\text{th}}$  step you eliminate all entries below  $A_{kk}^{(k)}$  taking  $A_{kk}^{(k)}$  as pivot. But if  $A_{kk}^{(k)} = 0$  you do this. So for LU to work, need  $A_{kk}^{(k)} \neq 0$  at each step.

Let  $A_k$  be the top-left  $k \times k$  submatrix of  $A$  [the leading principal submatrix of order  $k$ ]

During LU, the pivot elements  $u_{11}, u_{22}, \dots, u_{nn}$  appear on diagonal of  $U \rightarrow A^{(n)}$

$$\text{But } \det A_k = u_{11} \cdot u_{22} \cdot \dots \cdot u_{kk}$$

If  $\det A_k = 0$ , at least one of the pivots must be zero  $\Rightarrow$  LU fails.

$\therefore$  For  $A$  to be LU decomposable, all leading principal submatrices of  $A$  must have determinant non-zero.

$$\therefore \text{ Now } A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Clearly } \det A_2 = \det \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$\therefore A$  can't be LU decomposed

$$\text{But } A' = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \text{ can } [\det[3] \neq 0, \det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \neq 0 \text{ \& } \det A' \neq 0]$$